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Applicant: *๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛๛* Ben Jones et al. U.S. Application No. 09/936,630 International Application No: PCT/US00/040038

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Title: **SENSOR**

Attorney Docket: IO-1009US

Attn:

Office of PCT Legal Administration **Assistant Commissioner of Patents**

Washington, D.C. 20231

RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.47(a)

This is a renewed petition for acceptance of a Declaration and Power of Attorney filed by a joint inventor on behalf of an unavailable joint inventor in response to a decision mailed on July 19, 2002 (the DECISION) dismissing applicants original petition filed on June 4, 2002.

I, Todd A. Bynum, the undersigned attorney of record have first-hand knowledge of the following facts presented in support of this renewed petition. Facts in direct response to the DECISION are presented below facts repeated from Applicant's original petition and are preceded by statements from the DECISION, which are presented in bold text:

1. The named inventors of the above-identified application are:

> Ben Jones Scott Dupuie Jeff Blackburn Richard A. Johnson-Michael L. Abrams James Broseghini Mauricio A. Zavaleta Mark E. Burchfield Roger Maher-Burton A. DeVolk Frank Mayo



2. Following is a list of inventors, along with the last known address of each, who have not signed an Oath/Declaration in the application:

Burton Devolk 8801 Ranch Road 620 North Austin, Texas 78726-3500

Richard Johnson 311 Larkspur Circle Buda, Texas 78610

James Broseghini 6901 Fence Line Drive Austin, Texas 78749

- 3. The present application is a national stage application based on PCT Application No. PCT/US00/40038, which names Input/Output, Inc. (I/O) as an Applicant.
- 4. The PCT application was prepared and filed on behalf of the inventors and I/O by Mr. Todd Mattingly of the firm Haynes & Boone, L.L.P.
- 5. At the request of I/O, the firm of Madan, Mossman & Sriram ("the Firm") was asked to prepare necessary national stage patent applications based upon the PCT application identified in paragraph 3 above.
- 6. The Firm prepared the above identified national stage patent application and filed the application based on the PCT application.
- 7. To protect the interests of I/O, the Firm filed the application for a United States Letters Patent on September 12, 2001. The application was assigned Ser. No. 09/936,630.
- I, the undersigned attorney with the Firm, was assigned the task of filing and continuing
 prosecution of the above-identified national stage utility application including obtaining
 executed declarations from the inventors.
- 9. Upon receipt of a Notice of Missing Requirements from the Patent and Trademark Office, the Firm contacted I/O to obtain current addresses for each named inventor, because most had left the employ of I/O.

- 10. I sent the application to each inventor identified in paragraph 1 above and received executed declarations from all inventors, with the exception of the non-signing inventors listed in paragraph 2 above. Copies of the signed documents are attached as EXHIBIT A.
 - In the DECISION, the Patent office objects to the declaration filed with the original petition as being a single declaration with signature sheets pieced together.
- 10a. The declaration is in the form of a single 12-page document. Page 1 includes application identification information and the statements of declaration and page 2 includes the notice regarding willful and false statements as well as a signature block for one of the inventors. Pages 3 through 12 are signature sheets for the remaining inventors. In each case I sent pages 1 and 2 and the signature page for the particular inventor. In this renewed petition, EXHIBIT A includes complete declarations from each inventor and copies of the declaration as sent to the missing inventors.

<u>Inventor</u>

Ben Jones Scott T. Dupuie Jeffrey Allen Blackburn Michael L. Abrams Mauricio A. Zavaleta Mark E. Burchfield Roger Maher Frank Mayo

Date of Declaration

January 2, 2002 January 7, 2002 April 10, 2002 December 20, 2001 December 20, 2001 December 31, 2001 March 4, 2002 March 14, 2002

- 11. The Firm made several attempts to locate the non-signing inventors. The attempts and results are as follows:
 - On February 26, 2002, the application and Declaration were sent to the all the non-signing inventors. Mr. Broseghini's package was sent by certified mail. The card was returned by the Post Office as delivered but unsigned. No response was received. Mr. DeVolk's package was sent by certified mail and returned, and was resent on March 15 (to a different address). Both packages were returned unopened and no response received. As Mr. Johnson had recently signed a document in a corresponding Norwegian application, his application was sent by regular mail, but no response was received. Attempts were also made to reach

the non-signing inventors by telephone and messages were left on April 4, 2002. Copies of the return postcards and correspondence are attached as EXHIBIT B.

In the DECISION, the patent office requires that Applicants must detail what efforts were made to locate the inventors, such as internet searches, postal inquiries, etc.

11a. Under my direction internet searches were first made to locate the inventors on February 21,2002. The results of those searches are enclosed herewith and marked EXHIBIT C.

In the DECISION, the patent office states that as to Mr. Broseghini, the package was delivered, but that there is no evidence that it was delivered to Mr. Broseghini, as the receipt was unsigned.

11b. As to Mr. Broseghini, the address to which the packages were sent is the same address as that determined through the internet search. The address is the last known address of Mr. Broseghini. On April 4, 2002 I directed my assistant, Mrs. Lee Brevard to place a telephone call to Mr. Broseghini to request his review and signature on the documents. I then directed my assistant to place a telephone call to Mr. Broseghini using (512) 295-3630. A message was left on an answering machine providing the details of our request. No response was received. Applicant respectfully points out that 37 USC 1.47 has combined the cases of where a joint inventor cannot be located and where a joint inventor refuses to sign. Paragraph 1.47(a) now covers both cases. Therefore, Applicant does not see the relevance of the fact that there is no physical evidence that Mr. Broseghini personally accepted the package. There is evidence in EXHIBIT A, however, that the package was successfully delivered to his last known address. I believe the application has been delivered to Mr. Broseghini and that Mr. Broseghini is refusing to sign the declaration.

In the DECISION, the patent office states that as to Mr. DeVolk that Applicants have located two addresses for him, but that it is unclear what efforts were made to locate him.

11c. As to Mr. DeVolk, I first sent the documents to Mr. DeVolk using the address shown on the original PCT request. When that package was returned I directed my assistant to contact I/O to determine if any alternate address existed for Mr. DeVolk. The second address was provided by Ms. Pam Fisher of I/O as shown in EXHIBIT D. On March 27, 2002 we requested telephone information and received a telephone number for Mr. DeVolk as (512) 258-2315 as shown in EXHIBIT E. EXHIBIT E is redacted to remove personal information regarding other inventors. I instructed my assistant to place a telephone call to Mr. DeVolk and she left a message on April 4, 2002. No reply or return call has been received to date. A third search was conducted and a third address has been found as shown in EXHIBIT C. I attempted to confirm the third address using alternate internet searches on at least three occasions and using at least six different internet search engines. No other search confirmed the third address. I telephoned (512) 555-1212 to determine if a telephone number at the third address could be found, and no listing for any form of B. DeVolk was found by the service in the area code of his last known address. I believe that we have used diligence in attempting to locate Mr. DeVolk and that we are unable to locate Mr. DeVolk.

In the DECISION, the patent office states that as to Mr. Johnson, Applicants have no proof of delivery.

11d. As to Mr. Johnson, we are confident that Mr. Johnson has received the package. On information from I/O, I believe that in September 2001 I/O sent sent a package to Mr. Johnson including papers for the US application and for the corresponding Norwegian application. As shown in EXHIBIT F, Mr. Johnson executed the Norwegian application documents, but we did not receive the US documents. On February 21, 2002 I resent the US application and Declaration to Mr. Johnson using the same address, which is the last known address for Mr. Johnson. After not receiving the US documents, we called Mr. Johnson on April 4, 2002 and spoke with a person identifying herself as Mrs. Johnson. My assistant reiterated our request for US documents. After not receiving the documents by June 4, 2002 we were left with the conclusion that Mr. Johnson was choosing not to execute the US documents. Due to the increasing fees associated with

delay in responding to missing requirement we filed without Mr. Johnson's signed Declaration.

- 12. Response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements was originally due on February 4, 2002.
- 13. In order to protect the interests of I/O, Petitioner respectfully requests that the application be accepted on behalf of the non-signing inventors by the signature of all other signing inventors identified in Paragraph 1 above.

No fee is believed to be due for this renewed petition. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any under payment or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 13-0010 (IO-1009US).

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 19, 2002

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I do hereby certify that this correspondence, along with any referred to as attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this 19th day of September, 2002 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number **EV223850672US** addressed to: Attn: BOX PCT, Office of PCT Legal Administration, Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

Lee Brevard

EXHIBIT A

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SCOTT T. DUPIE

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As the below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below under our names.

We believe that we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "SENSOR," the specification of which was filed on **September 12**, 2001 as Serial No. 09/936,630.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to us which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56.

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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March 16, 2000

YES XX NO

We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 120 of any United States application listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in any prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Sec. 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined by Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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60/125,076

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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We hereby appoint, Paul S. Madan (Reg. No. 33,011), Kaushik P. Sriram (Reg. No. 43,150), David L. Mossman (Reg. No. 29,570), G. Michael Roebuck (Reg. No. 35,662), Todd A. Bynum, Reg. No. 39,488; W. Allen Marcontell, (Reg. No. 22,925), Gene L. Tyler (Reg. No. 35,395), William E. Schmidt (Reg. No. 47,064), and Chandran D. Kumar (Reg. No. 48,679), as attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Sec. 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Inventor:

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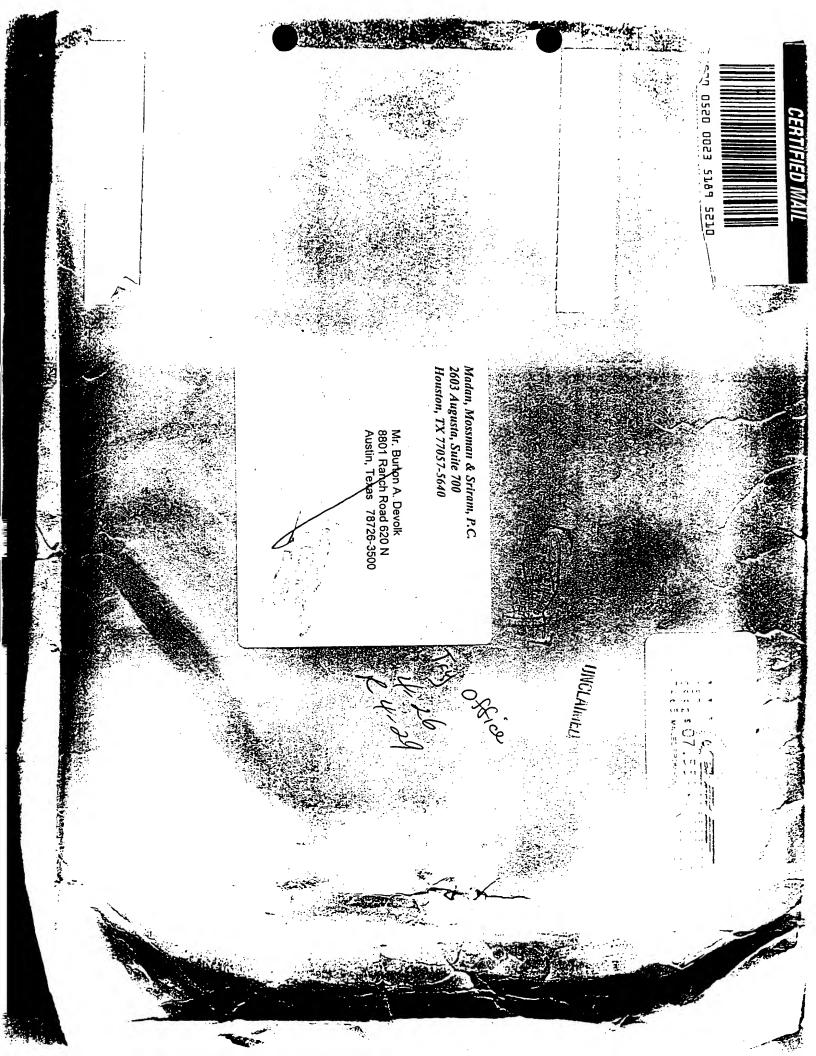
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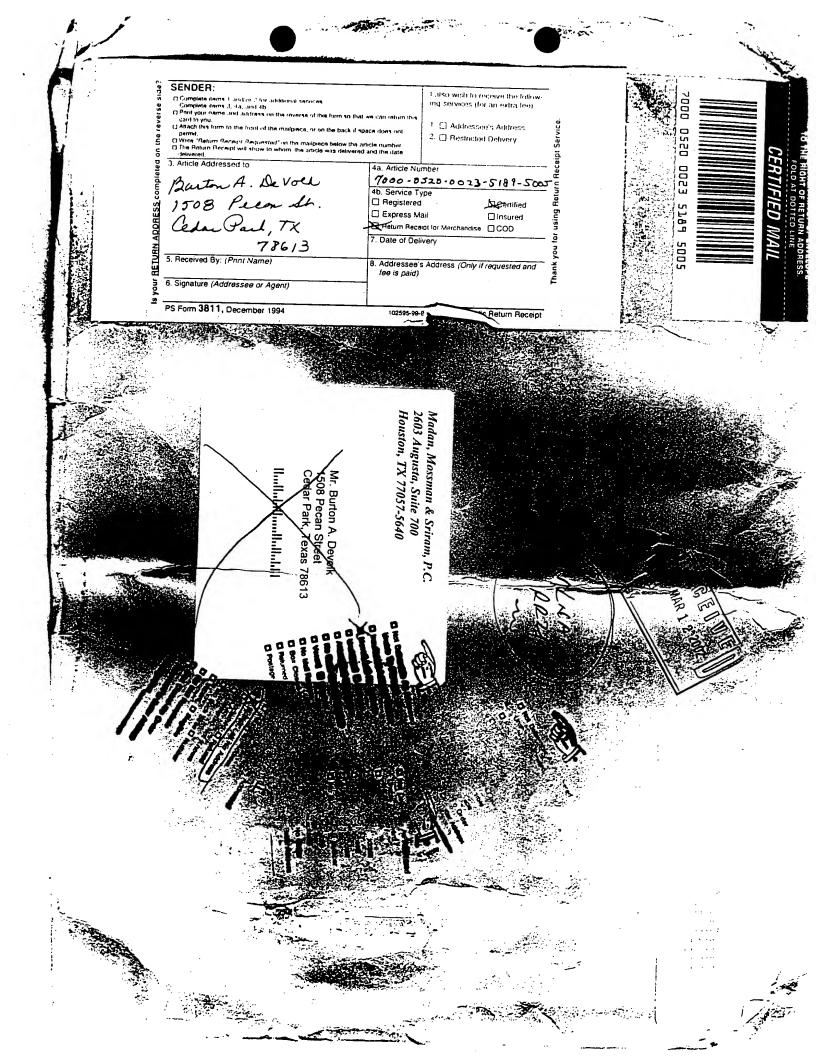
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February 26, 2002

Mr. Richard A. Johnson 311 Larkspur Circle Buda, Texas 78610

Re:

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/936,630

"Sensor"

Our Ref: IO-1009US

Dear Mr. Johnson:

You are listed as a co-inventor to the referenced application, and our records indicate that you have signed the Norwegian Declaration of Assignment for prosecuting an application in Norway. The Norwegian declaration, however, does not apply to the referenced U.S. application even though it is an application for the same invention.

Enclosed are a combined Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment for the referenced application. Your signature on these documents will assist us with the U.S. application. Please sign the documents, and return the documents to us for further processing. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated.

You may contact me directly if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Todd A. Bynum

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Encls: As Noted

cc: Mr. Randy Schwartz (w/o encls)

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Last transaction date Apr 10 1998	Last transaction Renewal		
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City/Zip AUSTIN 78745		<i>Gender</i> Male	Race White
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Lee Brevard

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To: Subject:

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Lee:

The address we have on file is:

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Please advise if I can be of further assistance.

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"Lee Brevard" < brevard@madanlaw.com > on 03/13/2002 02:34:57 PM

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Pam:

We sent the declaration and assignment to Burton DeVolk at a Cedar Park, Texas address and it was returned unopened -- moved left no forwarding address. Would you possibly have an alternative address and/or telephone number where we might try to reach Mr. DeVolk. Thanks for your help.

Lee

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EXHIBIT F

Declaration of Assignment

The undersigned hereby declares to have assigned all rights to Norwegian patent

based on

PCT/US00/40038

to

Input/Output, Inc.

so that the intellectual property right may be registered in this name.

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